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E.O. 11652:XGDS-4

TAGS: PFOR,UN,GJ,US

SUBJ: GRENADIAN DIPLOMATIC REPRESENTATION IN U.S.

REF: USUN 1891

1. AS DEPARTMENT AWARE, GOG INTENDS APPOINT FRANKLYN DOLLAND AS RESIDENT AMBASSADOR IN WASHINGTON. PRESUMABLY, BASED ON INFORMATION PROVIDED BY GRENADIAN MISSION TO UN AND PRECEDENT OF DOUBLE TENURE BY MRS. MCINTYRE, HE WILL ALSO BE DESIGNATED PERMREP TO UN.

2. MRS. MCINTYRE'S REPLACEMENT HAD BEEN ANTICIPATED. SHE TOLD ME LATE LAST YEAR THAT SHE HAD BEEN GREATLY EMBARRASSED BY PRIME MINISTER GAIRY'S INSISTENCE THAT SHE BE WITH HIM AT A TIME WHEN SHE HAD ALREADY ACCEPTED AN INVITATION TO A LUNCHEON HOSTED BY FORMER SECRETARY KISSINGER AND, TO AVOID SUCH INCIDENTS IN FUTURE, WOULD DECLINE TO RETURN TO NEW YORK.

3. FOR BENEFIT OF USUN, COMMENT MADE BY EMBASSY IN TRANSMITTING REQUEST FOR AGREEMENT TO DEPARTMENT IS REPEATED BELOW:

"2. COMMENT: I SAW DOLLAND AT AIRPORT HERE ON  
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JUNE 4, AND HE TOLD ME THAT, UNLIKE HIS PRE-DECESSOR, MRS. MARIE-JO MCINTYRE, HE WILL RESIDE IN WASHINGTON. HE ALSO SAID THAT HE HOPED TO TAKE UP HIS POST LATER THIS MONTH.

3. GIVEN FACT THAT PRIMARS QUALIFICATION FOR ANY GOG OFFICIAL IS LOYALTY TO PRIME MINISTER ERIC M. GAIRY, DOLLAND IS ABOUT THE BEST WE COULD HOPE FOR

IN A GRENADIAN AMBASSADOR TO THE U.S. HE IS PLEASANT,  
WELL DISPOSED TOWARD US, AND REASONABLY INTELLIGENT.  
NEVERTHELESS, HE WILL DO WHAT GAIRY TELLS HIM TO DO  
SINCE HE KNOWS THAT OTHERWISE HE WILL BE FIRED."

4. FOR DEPARTMENT: GOG HAS AGAIN EXPRESSED HOPE THAT  
AGREEMENT FOR DOLLAND WILL BE FORTHCOMING SHORTLY.  
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